

# SOCIAL STUDIES MINOR (M)

Through a blend of the social sciences, history, and humanities, you will learn to guide your students through a myriad of thinking types and social structures. You will get a stronger sense of contemporary and past viewpoints and be able to share insight with your classes into how people relate to the world around them. You will participate in and learn how to lead discourse on civic issues and organize around solutions. Your students can discover how we relate to each other, how we interact as groups, and how we organize our thoughts, religion, and government. You will be able to observe and study a wide range of human behavior and apply social and behavioral concepts for groups, institutions, power, government, cultural diversity, and identity. The Social Studies Education Minor or Concentration will ground you in historical methods, U.S. and European history, sociology, and cultural geography. The minor includes 18 credits and the concentration includes 12 credits.

## Curriculum- Minor

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
ED 2252	Best Practices in Engaging Adolescents in Literacy	3
	European History	3
	United States History	3
GEOG 220	Cultural Geography	3
	Select one of the following:	3
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	
SOC 203	Contemporary Social Problems	
SOC 300	Group Dynamics	
<b>Minor Electives</b>		
	Select three credits	3
HIST 385	Historical Methods (recommended)	
	Any U.S. History course	
	Any European History course	
	Any Non-western/Global History course	
	Any Economics course	
	Any Geography course	
	Any Political Science course	
	Any Psychology course	
	Any Sociology course	
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>18</b>

Minor Total = 18 credits beyond Core and Education requirements

## Curriculum- Concentration

Code	Title	Hours
ED 2252	Best Practices in Engaging Adolescents in Literacy	3
	Electives – May not be used to meet the CUW Core requirements.	9
	Select three courses.	
	3 credits History – Choose any course with a HIST prefix.	
	3 credits Economics – Choose any course with an ECON prefix.	
	3 credits Social Science – Choose any course with a PSY or SOC prefix.	
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>12</b>